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For the colored dispensary at No. 412 North Third Street, Dr. Truman A. Parker will be the chief of clinic, with Dr. Greer Baughman, Dr. T. E. Leonard, Dr. J. Carmet Nelson, Dr. McGuire Newton, and Dr. J. R. Williams. Dr. A. C. Palmer will be the throat specialist.

Each day from 12 to 1 o'clock patients from any part of the city may apply at the dispensary and be registered and examined, after which they will be assigned to regular visiting days for treatment and further examinations.

### INTERFERES TOO MUCH

**Government Bothers Too Much With Country's Business, Mr. Ridgely Says.**  
SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Nov. 23.—"The government interferes too much with the business of the country," said William Barrett Ridgely last night in addressing the Ad. Men's Club on the financial crisis. "This disturbance, as usual, manifested itself in New York city, but its existence was due to more than stock market conditions. Since the time of the San Francisco fire there has been plenty of warning, not only to the United States, but to the world of the pending danger. The expansion of loans and credit had reached a limit where the reserve fund was inadequate. The collapse was not entirely due to speculation. Neither was it due to the cry that the East was taking all the money away from the West and storing it up. The most important point to be considered is the fact that we are all in the same boat and that money cannot be divided into two classes, that used in speculation and that used in straight business. What is used in one channel one day is diverted into another channel the next. Legislation on the question is bound to come." Mr. Ridgely declared it as his belief that a large central bank of issue was the proper solution of the situation, such a bank to be entirely divorced from politics and speculation.

The banking laws of the country should be changed, but he did not believe in special emergency currency unless it could be made useful at all times. He would arrange for a uniform system by which national banks could issue uncovered bank notes based on the credit of the bank and requiring the banks to keep their equivalent in reserve. We should thus have a bank note which could be passed anywhere. This deposit credit was the real elastic currency of the country, and with this system in use the banks would not be disturbed.

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### Gordonsville Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
GORDONSVILLE, VA., November 23.—Mr. W. I. Estes has sold his valuable farm, a few miles north of Gordonsville, for \$5,000 cash.  
Miss Florence Marshall, of Twyman's Mills, after a visit of several weeks in Richmond, the Jamestown Exposition and Gordonsville, returned home Wednesday.  
Mr. B. M. Davenport and Mr. Taylor, of Richmond, were visitors at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. H. C. Hughes, several days this week. They also took several successful hunting trips.  
Prof. R. H. Powell is on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. F. E. Highland, in Clarksville, Va.  
Mrs. H. P. Goode and Mrs. Sidney Wood left Wednesday for the exposition.  
Miss Miriam Sampson left Wednesday for a trip to Washington.  
Miss Margie Hunter, of Richmond, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. M. Dunn, in the city.  
Messrs. John T. Closs and Frank Darlington, of Philadelphia, spent Wednesday night with the former's cousin, Mr. R. M. McClure, on route home from the exposition.

### Boykins Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
BOYKINS, VA., November 23.—Mr. W. B. Brand, of Norfolk, Va., was here several days ago.  
Mrs. E. B. Beaton is visiting relatives in Lawrenceville, Va.  
Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bryant have moved to Franklin, Va.  
Mr. Stainback, of Weldon, N. C., will fill the pulpit in the Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday.  
Rev. C. L. Corbett, of Newsum, Va., is in Boykins this week.  
Mrs. J. H. Filippin, of Covington, Tenn., spent last week of Dr. B. R. Bryant.  
Mrs. Little, of Como, N. C., spent last week with Mrs. J. D. Hart.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. Sewell, of Murfreesboro, N. C., visited friends here several days ago.  
Mr. A. A. Mansoni and Miss Ethel Beaton, of Portsmouth, Va., were here last Sunday.

### Irwin Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
IRWIN, VA., November 23.—Judge Grimley, of Culpeper, and Colonel James, of Warrenton, were the guests of Mr. W. B. Becking last week.  
Mrs. William Irwin is visiting relatives in Richmond.  
Mrs. Thomas, of Charleston, and Miss Crittendon, of Union, Va., who have been the guests of Mrs. Richard Hamilton, are now attending the Jamestown Exposition.  
Mrs. Kate Howard, of Norton, Va., spent last week with relatives at "Oranex."  
Mr. Julian Kean, Mr. R. Irwin and Dr. Miller Holman are attending the exposition.  
Mr. Henry C. Nelson, of Union Seminary, Richmond, spent Sunday with friends at "Hisham."  
Mr. and Mrs. Allen Vaughan, of Dallas, Tex., are the guests of Captain R. F. Vaughan.  
Mr. William Carrington Fitzpatrick, of Women's College, Richmond, will spend Thanksgiving with Miss Minnie Brookings.  
Dr. Davis, of the University College of Medicine, Richmond, is attending the exposition with Dr. J. J. Anderson.  
Thanksgiving services will be conducted at Bryn Church by Rev. J. A. Wood on Thanksgiving morning.

### Postmasters Appointed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 23.—Postmasters appointed:  
Virginia—Crouch, King and Queen, John H. Williams, vice C. H. Muse, resigned; Lebanon Church, Shenandoah, Va., W. Frank Bowman, vice J. W. Bowman, resigned.  
North Carolina—Barclayville, Harnet, George W. Gregory, vice A. W. Gregory, resigned; Pasley, Duplin, Mattie J. Conings, vice J. S. Cavanaugh, resigned.  
T. L. Sloope appointed regular; David B. Kitchie, substitute rural carrier, route 2, at Mount Airy, N. C.  
Just received a nice lot of small dressed turkeys, 15c a pound. Also Cape Cod Cranberries, 10c a quart.  
S. ULLMAN'S SONS,  
500 East Main street.

## CALL ASSEMBLY TO SETTLE RATE FIGHT

Well Defined Report at Raleigh That Extraordinary Session Will Be Ordered.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
RALEIGH, N. C., November 23.—The State Capitol has been stirred considerably by rumors that have been afloat concerning the status of the conflict between the State and the railroads since the "social call" that President Finley and Vice-President Andrews paid to Governor Glenn last Tuesday afternoon.

There is one well-defined report which carries with it decided marks of authenticity that the Southern, and possibly the other systems affected by the 2-1-4 cent passenger rate, have really submitted a proposition to the Governor, which includes the convening of the General Assembly in extraordinary session. This would mean a proposition from the railroads to accept possibly a 2-1-3 or a 2-3-4 cent rate and put an end to the legal fight that is dragging along at so much expense to both the State and the railroads. In fact, it would seem that the calling of the Legislature together is no longer a dreaded ultimatum for the railroads, and that they are, in fact, moving now to induce the Governor to call the Legislature.

There are those high in authority who believe that there will be an extraordinary session of the Assembly, and that it will come through the Governor and Council of State, in compliance with a request from the Southern and other roads, through a proposition from them to settle the whole rate matter, which the State authorities will feel that they cannot ignore, or in the face of which they would not be justified in continuing the fight along the line of heading up costs in a litigation for possibly a little lower rate, which they might stand the chance of losing in the highest courts after all. The proposition from the railroads, involving the calling of the Legislature, is believed to have been in the hands of the Governor for some time, and there is the impression that it was the chief topic of discussion while railroad matters were being talked of during the call that the Southern officials paid to the executive office last Tuesday. Governor Glenn is out of the city, having gone to Washington to deliver an address. He will return Monday.

### Form Harvard Club.

The organization of the Harvard Club of North Carolina, composed of graduates of Harvard University residing in North Carolina, was perfected here last night by the election of Professor Collier Cobb, of Chapel Hill, president; Albert L. Cox, Raleigh, first vice-president; W. E. Stone, Raleigh, second vice-president, and R. N. Wilson, Jr., Guilford College, secretary. The directors are George Rountree, of Wilmington; W. A. Blair, of Winston-Salem; Jacob C. Patton, of Warrenton; E. L. Moffitt, of Elton College; R. M. Ouellet, of Concord. There are to be annual meetings and banquets on the second Saturday of each year. It is proposed to establish as soon as possible Harvard scholarships, available by students excelling in the various colleges of North Carolina.  
The membership enrolled other than the officers named above embraces S. H. Hodgin, Guilford College; Bart. M. Gatling, Raleigh; H. H. Lowry, Greensboro; W. A. Lambeth, Walkertown; J.

L. Sexton, Charlotte; Dr. A. S. Wheeler, Chapel Hill; H. H. Williams, Chapel Hill; Harry N. Eaton, Chapel Hill; J. O. Atkinson, Elton College; G. R. Westfeldt, Fletcher's; Taft Reid, Biltmore; Arthur Page, New York; J. E. Latta, Chapel Hill; J. W. Adams, Waynesville; Edwin Sharer, Salisbury; George H. Currie, Clarkton; W. H. Chadbourne, Wilmington; W. H. S. Burgwyn, Weldon; the Rev. Francis W. Hilliard, Oxford; J. J. Wolf, Durham; W. W. Card, Durham; W. P. Few, Durham.

### To Speak at Macon.

Postmaster W. G. Briggs, of the Raleigh office, has accepted an invitation to attend the Georgia State Convention of Postmasters at Macon next week. He will deliver an address on "Postmasters and Their Relation to the Community."

State Chemist E. W. Magruder, of the Virginia Department of Agriculture, is spending a few days here with State Chemist B. W. Kilgore, of North Carolina. He is returning from the Columbia convention of Southern States Commissioners of Agriculture and Department Workers.

**Awarded a Medal.**  
The Temperance Industrial Institute at Claremont has been awarded a medal at the Jamestown Exposition.

## THE WEATHER

Forecast: Virginia—Rain Sunday, followed by clearing in west and north portion; Monday fair; light to fresh north wind.  
North Carolina—Rain Sunday, followed by clearing, fresh north winds; Monday fair.

**CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.**  
Richmond's weather: cool and rainy. Range of the thermometer: 9 A. M. .... 48 5 P. M. .... 48 12 M. .... 48 2 P. M. .... 47 12 M. .... 45 Average .... 47.2-3  
Highest temperature yesterday .... 50  
Lowest temperature yesterday .... 46  
Mean temperature yesterday .... 48  
Normal temperature yesterday .... 46  
Departure from normal temperature 2  
Percentage for the 24 hours ending at 3 P. M. .... 0.71

**CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.**  
(At 8 P. M. Eastern Time.)  
Place. Ther. H.T. Weather.  
Asheville .... 54 52 Rain  
Augusta .... 54 52 Rain  
Atlanta .... 50 52 Rain  
Baltimore .... 62 68 Clear  
Birmingham .... 58 68 Rain  
Boston .... 70 78 P. cloudy  
Buffalo .... 56 62 Clear  
Cincinnati .... 60 64 Clear  
Cleveland .... 50 58 Rain  
Dallas .... 68 76 Rain  
Denver .... 48 50 Rain  
Detroit .... 72 78 Clear  
Wilmington .... 58 62 Rain

**MINIATURE ALMANAC.**  
November 24, 1907.  
Sun sets .... 7:00  
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Moon rises .... 8:31  
Evening .... 7:50

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Keep the system strong and blood pure by using the Bitters and you are fortified against attacks of Chills and Colds. It also cures Poor Appetite, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Female Ills, and Malaria.

## MR. FOWLER SAYS ISSUE IS ILLEGAL

(Continued from First Page.)

serves in our banks will probably exceed those of any preceding year since 1900, that this very \$150,000,000, if unfortunately, the increased debt shall be converted into bank notes, that these bank notes will not disappear and be automatically retired, but that they will find a place in the reserves of the State banks, in the reserves of the trust companies, and to some extent, though they have no right there, in the reserves of the national banks.

**Bank Notes Displace Gold.**  
"Now mark this. That every bank note held as a reserve will displace just that amount of gold and drive it out of the country. I assert from a thorough investigation of all the facts that surround the situation that if the \$700,000,000 bond-secured bank notes were where they ought to be, a current bank credit such as all the civilized world now uses, there would be a contraction from January to July aggregating from \$250,000,000 to \$300,000,000."

"To-day, as I have said, we have \$250,000,000 in the banks, and therefore, by any fair inference of construction of the statutes, the sale of these certificates is unlawful."

"Again, I am not aware of any statute by which they can be construed to be a lawful basis for banknote circulation. The thoughtful and patriotic men of the country have been fighting flatism since the Civil War. General Grant had the good sense and courage to veto a greenback bill when the sentiment of the country seemed to be for it, and so did President Hayes, although it was the policy expressed by Congress."

"We went through the tragedy of a silver craze and fought the battle of the standards, little thinking that so soon we would again be confronted with this same madness in another, but slightly modified form. Fortunately, the American people, the wage-earners who want to see their dollar and those who did not want their property taken away by legislation, can well and vividly remember 1896."

### But One Honest Reserve.

"The present financial crisis is only another startling instance that ought to warn us to convert our present greenbacks into gold certificates and teach the present generation and all who come after us that there can be but one honest reserve, and that in our country is gold coin. The gold standard of value and, therefore, gold is its own redeemer."  
"The action of the administration was certainly surprising to any man who was at all familiar with the banking situation on Thursday, November 14th, that considering the fact that the government had \$250,000,000 of cash on hand, and would have any more to speak of immediately after bonds were sold, it was certainly extraordinary that it was unwarranted in increasing the national interest-bearing debt \$150,000,000, and that it was most unfortunate from the point of view, especially economically. For the honor of the government, more particularly and especially for the welfare of the country, I sincerely hope that not a single 2 per cent. certificate will be issued and that the administration will have the wisdom, courage and patriotism to withdraw the offer of the \$100,000,000 2 per cent. certificates immediately, thereby relieving the present situation and protecting the people against the future consequences of a most grave and serious mistake."

**Mrs. E. L. Barlow.**  
PORTSMOUTH, VA., November 23.—Mrs. Belle Stout Barlow, wife of Alderman Edmund L. Barlow, died at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in her home, 312 North Street.  
She was the daughter of Mrs. Mary F. and the late John H. Stout, of this city.  
Beside her husband, she is survived

by her mother, a brother, Joseph E. Stout, and two sisters—Miss Elize Stout of this city, and Mrs. Charles H. West, of Richmond.

## SHAW'S ANALYSIS OF IT

**Extravagant Living, Undigested Securities and Denunciation Caused Flurry.**  
CHICAGO, ILL., November 23.—Extravagant living by the American people, a plethora of undigested securities and too much denunciation of American business methods were blamed for the financial stringency by Leslie M. Shaw, of New York, former Secretary of the Treasury, in a speech to-night at the banquet given by the National Business League in the auditorium annex. Several hundred guests, including the commercial leaders of Chicago and vicinity, listened to the speech. Jacob M. Dickinson and others spoke.  
A letter was read from Secretary of State Elihu Root, stating that he did not believe in too much government; that the real work must be done by the business men of the United States themselves.

**California Fruit Shipments.**  
LOS ANGELES, November 23.—Ten carloads of oranges and seven carloads of lemons were shipped from Southern California on Wednesday. Total for season: Oranges, 139 carloads; lemons, 241 carloads.

**High-Priced Advertising Space.**  
Some of the larger advertisers spend fortunes for space in high-class publications. For instance, a single page in one issue of the Chicago News costs \$1,141.56; in the New York American, \$980; in the New York Herald, \$898.25; in Collier's Weekly, \$1,600; in the Saturday Evening Post, \$1,800; in the Dealer, \$1,800; in the Woman's Home Companion, \$1,800; in the Youth's Companion, \$2,000; in the Ladies' Home Journal, \$4,000.—Exchange.

## CASTORIA.

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**SUSSEX HAS NEW JAIL.**  
Accepts Structure Just Completed and Will Issue Bonds to Pay.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
BOOKER, SUSSEX CO., VA., November 23.—At a meeting of the board of supervisors of Sussex county yesterday the new jail, which has been under erection by the B. F. Smith Fire-proof Construction Company, of Washington, D. C., was received. The building cost \$4,400, and is a modern fire-proof structure, equipped with all modern improvements and three steel cells made of toolproof steel. The steel in these cells was tested by Dr. Henry Froehling, of Richmond, who says in his report that it is practically impossible for a prisoner to escape from them.  
The county will issue bonds to raise money to pay for this jail—that is, will issue four coupon bonds of \$1,000, bearing interest at 6 per cent, payable semi-annually; these bonds to run thirty years, with right to redeem in ten years. Bids will be received for these bonds by the clerk up to 12 M. December 19th.

### Highland Farms Sold.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
MONTEREY, VA., November 23.—Two valuable farms have changed hands in Highland this week. Mr. E. K. Rodgers, of Meadow Dale, has sold his fine grazing lands to Mr. Ira Q. Simmons, of Crabbottom. Mr. Joseph Blagg has purchased of Mr. C. T. Fletcher, the farm south of Monterey known as the Jack Place, consideration \$6,800. The price paid by Mr. Simmons is said to be about \$20,000.

**Will You be Thankful on Thanksgiving Day?**

According to their financial situation will be the answer for the majority. To those who have nothing to be thankful for in that respect let us say this: "Regardless of your occupation or location our thorough system of 'BANKING BY MAIL' will undoubtedly help you." The opening of a Savings Account now, and by gradually increasing the amount you will then have something to be thankful for. Particulars obtainable from our Savings Department.

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